

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA
NORTHWESTERN DIVISION**

Ramona Two Shields, et al
Plaintiffs,

v.

Spencer Wilkinson, Jr., et al
Defendants.

Case No. 4:12-cv-160

Clerk's Minutes of Proceedings

The Honorable Daniel L. Hovland

Date: November 15, 2013

Bismarck, North Dakota

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Court Reporter: Sandie Ehrmantraut

Recess: 12:40 p.m.

Proceeding: Motion Hearing

Clerk: Kari M. Knudson

Appearances:

Kenneth E. McNeil, Shawn L. Raymond, Andres Christopher Healy, Mario Gonzalez, and John M. Olson for Plaintiffs Mary Louise Defender Wilson and Ramona Two Shields.

Jon W. Backes, Mark S. Barron, and Daniel Mead McClure for Defendants Dakota-3 Energy, LLC; Dakota-3, LLC; and Spencer Wilkinson, Jr.

Van H. Beckwith and James Hoy for Defendants Dakota-3 E&P Company, LLC, n/k/a WPX Energy Williston, LLC.

James U. White, Jr. for Defendants Zenergy Inc.; Zenergy Properties 6 Ft. Berthold Allotte, LLC; Robert Zinke.

Ronald T. Shinn, Jr. for Defendant Rick Woodward.

Stephen R. Terrell for Amicus United States of America.

Court in session.

Counsel note appearances.

Mr. Beckwith presents oral argument on behalf of all defendants.

Mr. Terrell presents oral argument on behalf of the Amicus USA.

Mr. Beckwith continues with oral argument on behalf of all defendants.

Mr. McClure presents oral argument on behalf of defendants Dakota-3 Energy, LLC; Dakota-3, LLC; and Spencer Wilkinson, Jr.

Mr. Shinn presents oral argument on behalf of defendant Rick Woodward.

Mr. White presents oral argument on behalf of defendants Zenergy Inc.; Zenergy Properties 6 Ft. Berthold Allotte, LLC; and Robert Zinke.

Recess from 10:43 a.m. to 10:57 a.m.

Mr. McNeil presents oral argument on behalf of the plaintiffs.

Mr. Raymond presents oral argument on behalf of the plaintiffs.

Mr. Healy presents oral argument on behalf of the plaintiffs.

Mr. Beckwith presents rebuttal oral argument.

Court takes matter under advisement.